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TO AMEMBASSY MANILA

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E.O. 11652:N/A

TAGS: BENC, RP

SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: INTEGRATED STEEL MILL

REF: MANILA 0320

1. EXIMBANK HAS NOT BEEN APPROACHED FOR FINANCING SUBJECT PROJECT. EXIMBANK STAFF HAS DISCUSSED PROJECT BOTH IN  
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MANILA AND WASHINGTON WITH PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS  
IN CONNECTION WITH OTHER MAJOR PHILIPPINE PROJECT PRI-  
ORITIES, BUT THE BANK HAS ONLY LIMITED KNOWLEDGE OF THE  
PROJECT. THEREFORE, SHOULD EXIMBANK BE ASKED TO PARTICIPATE  
IN FINANCING THE PROJECT, IT WOULD HAVE TO APPRAISE IT FROM  
ECONOMIC, ENGINEERING AND FINANCIAL STANDPOINTS AS WELL AS  
THE IMPACT IT WOULD HAVE ON U.S. DOMESTIC INDUSTRIES. IN  
THE CIRCUMSTANCES, IT WOULD BE DIFFICULT FOR EXIMBANK TO  
PROVIDE ANY PRECISE INDICATION OF ITS ATTITUDE TOWARD THE

PROJECT. VANCE

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